

**REMARKS**

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the courtesy of an interview on June 25, 2006. In the Interview, Applicant agreed to amend independent claims 1, 10, and 19 to include the limitations of claims 8, 17, and 26 respectively.


Applicant thanks the Examiner for the Examiner's Amendment mailed on June 7, 2006, in which independent claims 1, 10, and 19 were amended to include the limitations of claims 8, 17, and 26 respectively. Claims 8, 17, and 26 were cancelled without prejudice.

Applicant also thanks the Examiner for the Notice of Allowance mailed on June 7, 2006.

If there are any charges, please charge them to our Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted,  
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